



12-11-06 IFW  
Express Mail No. EB 132594215 US

1618/1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Fang *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 7960

Application No.: 09/987,931

Art Unit: 1618

Filed: November 16, 2001

Examiner: V. Kim

For: Bupropion Metabolites and Methods of  
Their Use

Attorney Docket No.: 4821-439-999  
(CAM 208423-999438)

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

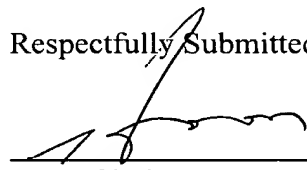
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing a Response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006 in the above-identified application be extended for a period of one month from November 8, 2006 to and including December 8, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$ 120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: December 8, 2006

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Hoon Choi (Limited Recog. No.) L0209

for: Anthony M. Insogna (Reg. No. 35,203)  
**Jones Day**  
12750 High Bluff Drive, Suite 300  
San Diego, CA 92130  
(858) 314-1200

12/11/2006 EAREGAY1 00000141 503013 09987931  
01 FC:1251 120.00 DA

Enclosure